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BRUSSELS FOR USDEL LANNON WALKER

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MOPS, PINT, EAID, EFIN, CG
SUBJECT: DEMARCHE TO MOBUTU ON REFORM

1. SECRETARY VANCE AGREED WITH THE FRENCH, BRITISH AND GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTERS TODAY THAT THE DEMARCHES TO MOBUTU ON REFORM SHOULD BE DELIVERED SEPARATELY BEGINNING WITH THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR ON JUNE 19. MISSIONS IN KINSHASA WILL BE INSTRUCTED TO COORDINATE THEIR APPROACHES ON THE BASIS OF AN AGREED TEXT -- EITHER THE PARIS OR KINSHASA TEXT. WE WILL DISCUSS WITH THE FRENCH HERE TOMORROW WHICH SHOULD BE USED.
2. FOR KINSHASA: YOU WILL RECEIVE ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS TOMORROW BUT THE THOUGHT IS THAT YOU SHOULD FOLLOW THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR ON JUNE 19 AND DELIVER PRESIDENT CARTER'S LETTER. SECRETARY VANCE WILL BE
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SUGGESTING REVISIONS TO WASHINGTON.

3. FOR BRUSSELS: ABOVE PROCEDURE HAS YET TO BE COORDINATED WITH THE BELGIANS WHO WERE NOT A PARTY TO THIS MORNING'S DISCUSSION. IF THE SUBJECT OF THE DEMARCHE ARISES IN CONVERSATION WITH BELGIAN OFFICIALS, YOU SHOULD SAY THAT YOU UNDERSTAND THE MATTER IS UNDER

DISCUSSION HERE.

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